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WASHINGTON -- Congressman John W. Olver (1st District) voted for legislation in the House

"This action is way overdue," said Olver.

"Seniors, family members and providers of home care in my district have been hit hard

The legislation is specifically designed to reverse cuts to home health care reimbursement rates

The House legislation passed today increased the home care reimbursement rates from Medicare

"Fixing the home health care problem has been one of my very highest priorities," Olver said.

The Senate is currently working on similar legislation.

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